

Nebraska

TART ANSWER BY STEVENS

Candidate Refuses to Be Bulldozed by Home Campus Committee.

RESENTS IMPUDENT THREAT

Deprecates Attempt to Get Chief Justice to Commit Himself in Advance—Says University Will Be Moved.

BEAVER CITY, Neb., July 26.—(Special.)—John Stevens of this city, a republican candidate for the republican nomination of governor, received the stereotyped circular letter from the University Home Campus extension committee, asking his attitude toward university removal, and the following is a copy of his reply mailed to the committee at Lincoln today.

BEAVER CITY, Neb., July 26, 1914.—University Home Campus Extension Committee, Lincoln, Neb.: Gentlemen: I am in receipt of your letter of the 24th wherein you demand a specific statement of my attitude on university relocation, and in spite of the fear and trembling that have possessed me since reading the same I take my pen in hand to indicate my humble reply.

First, permit me to suggest that you discard the high-sounding name of your committee, and frankly call yourselves the Exploiter Building committee, as your letter carries the implied threat, boldly written between the lines, that if the recipient fails to line up promptly on your side of the question you are prepared to shunt him into oblivion without any tedious ceremony.

University Now on Wheels.

This question ought to have passed to a peaceable settlement without any heated controversy, and would doubtless have done so but for the impudent activity, which has caused the respective factions to assume an attitude of belligerence heretofore wanting. I have noticed the effect that your letter has had upon other candidates, and I am pleased with the large number who have accepted your impudent, however, it is a pity that to behold the servile fear which has been brought to their knees by your menacing bit of hot air. For my part, I beg leave to inform you that the university is already on wheels, headed toward the state farm, and I have put my shoulder to one of those wheels and push with all my misjudged strength. I am only one of a large number of benefited citizens of the state, who are convinced that the university as at present located has been a curse to the state, and that Lincoln has been, and now is largely dominated by its saloons. The interests of the university being thereby subordinated to those of Lincoln's saloons, I expect to assist in redefining the university from the blight of Lincoln's saloons, and the only way in which this can be accomplished is by removal of the university.

Refuse to Control Saloons.

I do not charge that Lincoln is any worse than any other saloon town, but nevertheless it is a saloon town, and as such is far worse than it ought to be, and far worse than it would have been if it had discarded the saloons at the proper time. The people of Lincoln themselves settled the question of university removal at the municipal election following the passage of the removal act. By deciding to retain the saloons it forfeited all claims to the retention of the university. Of course, Lincoln had a right to retain the saloons as they are strictly its own affair; but please bear in mind the fact that university is the property of the whole state, and the people of the state have a perfect right to pack it up and move it away whenever they may choose to do so.

Attempt to Commit Supreme Court.

I believe that the voters of the state who have the welfare of the university at heart are thoroughly awake on this subject, but if not I promise to do my share in the task of arousing them. Your honorable committee has not considered to designate the particular form of destruction, which it proposes to mete out to refractory candidates, but let it be what it may, I have incurred the direct doom imaginable, and shall ask no quarter. It is rather unfortunate for your committee, however, that I am not willing to content myself with tactics that would appear more modest and less militant. It has been the custom of the chief justice of the supreme court that he commit himself in advance upon this question, which in the form of litigation is quite liable to come before him for determination. This is not only a gross impropriety, but it is also a gross violation of the remotest bound of common decency. It is certainly to be hoped that the rank and file of the so-called extensionists do not approve of such extreme and questionable measures. And now farewell. You go to herald my pitiable condition far and wide among your influential henchmen, while I plod wearily on in my helpless ignorance. Nevertheless, mark this prediction: The time is fast approaching, when the boys and girls of Nebraska will be able to reach their university without walking past the mouth of a dive. Per respectfully,
JOHN STEVENS.

News Notes of Fairbury.

FAIRBURY, Neb., July 26.—(Special.)—Division Superintendent W. O. Sheehan has appointed new members for the division "safety first" committee. The new members comprise H. O. Nellis, storekeeper; R. L. Poole, conductor; A. C. Whitte, brakeman; Pat Kanan, switchman; J. E. Ridder, engineer; B. C. Wilson, brakeman; William Hamer, conductor; Guy Sowers, machinist; E. D. Hardy, blacksmith; B. Z. Millikan, boilermaker; W. Slater, car repairer, and W. M. Hulbert. The new committee members will serve until January 1, 1915.

Owing to the rush for grain cars, the Rock Island has put on an extra force at Fairbury to cooper cars and all men that can be secured are working in the car yards. Car Foreman G. C. Brown has the largest number of men employed in the division of the company at Fairbury.

The city council has decided to call a special election in Fairbury Tuesday, August 25, to vote on the matter of having Sunday picture shows in Fairbury. A petition was circulated asking a special election.

Doctor's Boyish Face Reveals Skin Renewer

I heard the other day the story of the physician with so admirable a face. He told me, who generously told others, that knowing the remarkable absorbent property of ordinary mercurized wax, he concluded this substance would make an excellent complexion renewer and preserver. Knowing the wax could do no injury, he began using it after shaving. He soon observed that the old, withered, colorless cuticle was being gradually absorbed and replaced by younger, healthier skin. This was the simple secret of the silver-haired doctor with the boyish face. The secret became public property. Now women everywhere use mercurized wax, applying it off mornings—continuing until the complexion is entirely renovated. An ounce of this wax, procurable at any drugstore, will banish the worst complexion.

Another valuable rejuvenator used by this doctor was a wrinkle-remover and preventative in the form of a face bath, made by dissolving an ounce of salicylic acid in half pint witch hazel. This also has become famous—Fashion Review—Advertisement.

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Life Monthly Income—Gould, Bee Bldg.

Fidelity Storage and Van Co. Dong 1514.

Lighting Fixtures—Burgess-Granden company.

Wanted, Good City Loans—Prompt closing. First Trust Company of Omaha.

When you know gas lighting you prefer it. Omaha Gas Co., 156 Howard St.

Mayday Buyers Go East—Tom Flynn and P. H. Johnson, buyers at Hayden Bros., have gone east to buy in fall stocks.

Savings Accounts Solicited by the Nebraska Savings and Loan Ass'n. \$1.00 to \$5,000.00 received. Dividends paid July 1 and January 1, 1906 Farnam St.

"Today's Complete Movie Program" may be found on the first page of the classified section today, and appear in The Bee EXCLUSIVELY. Find out what the various moving picture theaters offer.

Wild Seats at Large—Is an attraction at the Aldoma, Thirteenth and Farnam. It is a two-reel stage play. It shows how the population of a village was driven out by animals, who took possession.

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Anthony to Study Abroad—Joe T. Anthony of the Creighton Medical college class of 1914, will go abroad Tuesday with his mother for two years of study at Vienna and Prague. His mother will return in a few months. The Anthony's formerly lived at Chadron, Neb.

Awarded Damages—Essie Wallace, who brought suit against the city of Omaha in 1911 for damage resulting to her real estate from the construction of the Hancock street viaduct, was awarded a judgment of \$1,000 by Judge Sears. She asked damages aggregating \$2,000.

Postoffice Band to Turn Out—Tuesday, July 28, will be postoffice night at the Home summer garden and a record breaking crowd is expected. The celebrated postoffice band, sixty strong, under the direction of Leader Prosser, will furnish music during the intervals between the reels.

New Federal Building Furniture—Eight new mahogany benches have been received by Custodian Taylor of the federal building for the equipment of the north court room, replacing antiquated furniture which was taken to the federal building from the old Douglas county court house.

Voluntary Bankruptcy Petition—Kanouse & Shoemaker, a co-partnership composed of Charles O. Kanouse and Clifford A. Shoemaker, has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy in the United States district court, listing the debts of the firm at \$353.60 and the assets at practically nothing.

Socialists to Open Campaign—Local socialists will open their state campaign tomorrow afternoon at Seventeenth and Vinton streets, where Fred J. Warren, candidate for congress, will deliver an address. A canvas-covered air dome has been secured to accommodate the audience. The socialists will make their chief fight for Warren.

Describes Alleged Cruelty—Rachel Ellen Davis, who has filed suit for divorce from Frank L. Davis, in her petition states that her husband beat her with bed slats and fists, threatened to burn her mother's home, sold liquor, permitted his customers to become too familiar with her and deserted her. They were married at Red Oak, Ia., in 1905.

Going to the Movies? If you want to know in advance what pictures are going to be shown at your favorite theater tonight, read "Today's Complete Movie Program" on the first want ad page. Complete programs of practically every moving picture theater in Omaha appear EXCLUSIVELY in The Bee.

Got anything you'd like to swap? Use the "Swappers' Column."

OMAHA CONCERNS GET GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS

Two government contracts have been awarded to Omaha concerns. The Otis Elevator company has been awarded the contract for repairing elevators in the federal building here, while Charles P. Shronsberg has been awarded the contract for the brick work in the boiler rooms of the federal building.

GIRL STRUCK BY BICYCLE RECEIVES SLIGHT HURTS

While walking down Sixteenth street in the middle of the pavement near her home, Katherine Johannek, aged 14, 3133 South Sixteenth street, was run into and knocked down by a bicycle ridden by Ruben Slach, 4111 South Tenth street. The girl was painfully, but not seriously injured and was attended at her home by Police Surgeon Folts. Slach was arrested, but later released.

CHAUFFEUR AND EMPLOYER FIGHT OVER SETTLEMENT

Because he turned in a \$10 fee instead of a \$11 one, C. E. Hubbard, a chauffeur working for the Unique Taxi company, got into a squabble with his boss, Joseph Sutley, and eventually landed in the city jail charged with assault. The men fought in the basement stairway leading to the offices of the company just off Farnam and Fourteenth streets.

FEDERAL TAX ON BEER MADE IN NEBRASKA GAINS \$11,253

The federal tax collected from the thirteen breweries of Nebraska for the fiscal year of 1914 was \$453,640, as compared with \$448,800 for 1913, according to figures at the internal revenue office in Omaha. The increase is \$11,253, the tax being \$1 on each barrel.

Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy

"I advised the boys" when they enlisted in the Spanish war to take Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with them, and have received many thanks for the advice given," writes J. H. Houghland, Eldon, Ia. "No person, whether traveling or at home, should be without the great remedy." For sale by all druggists—Advertisement.

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The Governor Says—

Cut out tea and coffee, my boy. They contain an irritant—caffeine—and you can't have a fluttery heart or sour stomach or a grouchy headache and do big business.

It's a mighty good plan, if tea or coffee puts you "off color," to quit it, and for a delicious taste beverage, use

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In either form—Regular Postum, which must be boiled, (15c and 25c packages) or Instant